

**MONTEREY PARK ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
July 10, 2018**

The Environmental Commission of the City of Monterey Park held a Regular Meeting of the Commission in the Engineering Conference Room, located at 320 West Newmark Avenue in the City of Monterey Park, Tuesday, July 10, 2018 at 6:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER:

Chair Wong called the meeting to order at 6:17 p.m.

FLAG SALUTE:

Chair Wong led the flag salute.

ROLL CALL:

Principal Management Analyst Tam called the roll:

Commissioners Present: Shirley Hwong, Karl Wong, Sam Cheung, and Stephen Fong

Commissioners Absent: Jenelle Dhing

Youth Advisors Present: None

Youth Advisors Absent: Kailey Ogawa-Monroe and Celeste Chan

ALSO PRESENT: Principal Management Analyst Bonnie Tam, ClimateCorps Fellow Anna Van, and Monterey Park Resident Tammy Sam

AGENDA ADDITIONS, DELETIONS, CHANGES AND ADOPTIONS

ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

1. PRESENTATION

ClimateCorps Fellow Anna Van from Climate Resolve announced that there will be an event regarding tree canopy scheduled for Saturday, July 14, 2018 from 8:00 a.m. to noon in the Whittier Narrows Recreation Area at 750 S. Santa Anita Ave., South El Monte, CA 91733.

2. OLD BUSINESS

2-A. EARTH DAY FESTIVAL VIDEO ON MPK YOUTUBE CHANNEL

The Commission unanimously approved the video to be posted on the MPK YouTube Channel at the June Commission regular meeting. The Commission viewed the Earth Day Festival video on MPK YouTube Channel.

2-B. CSULA HYDROGEN RESEARCH FACILITY FIELD TRIP

The Commission confirmed that the field trip to CSULA Hydrogen Research Facility is scheduled for Friday, July 27, 2018. Commissioners and participants will meet at the Library parking lot and depart at 9:30 a.m.

3. NEW BUSINESS

3-A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approve the minutes from the special meeting of June 12, 2018.

Action Taken: The Environmental Commission approved the minutes from the regular meeting of June 12, 2018.

Motion: Co-Chair Hwong moved to approve the June 12, 2018 minutes and Commissioner Cheung seconded, motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes:	Commissioners:	Hwong, Wong, Cheung, Fong
Noes:	Commissioners:	None
Absent:	Commissioners:	Dhing
Abstain:	Commissioners:	None

3-B. ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION PARTICIPATION IN NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Chair Wong and Co-Chair Hwong received an invitation from Monterey Park Police Department to participate in the 35th Annual National Night Out scheduled for August 7, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. at the City Hall front lawn. The Commission planned to participate and host a booth to giving out educational materials about the environment and Public Works Department's program information and event flyers.

3-C. CHINA'S NATIONAL SWORD POLICY AND ITS IMPACT TO MONTEREY PARK COMMUNITY

Chair Wong presented to the Commission a waste control policy, as known as National Sword Policy, and how it will impact the Monterey Park community.

4. COMMISSION COMMUNICATIONS

Principal Management Analyst Tam announced that the next LA County Household Hazardous Waste and E-Waste Roundup event will be hosted at the LA County Department of Public Works Headquarters in the city of Alhambra on August 18, 2018 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Flyers are available at City Hall Public Works counter.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business for consideration, the meeting was adjourned at 9:30 p.m.



Bonnie Tam
Staff Liaison to the Environmental Commission
City of Monterey Park

Approved on August 14, 2018 at the Environmental Commission regular meeting

